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In re Application of:	Spinelli et al.	Group Art Unit:	3738
Application	09/713,598	Examiner:	Corrine McDermott
Filed:	November 15, 2000	Due Date:	
Docket No.:	P-9580.00US		
For:	Minimally Invasive Apparatus for Implanting a Sacral Stimulation Lead		

PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED
APPLICATION FOR PATENT
UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

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Applicant hereby petitions for revival of this application.

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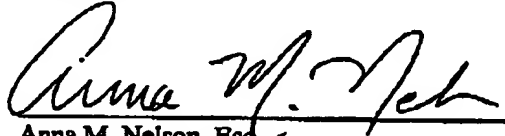
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Application No.: 09/713,598**Page 2****Petition to Revive an Application for Unintentional Abandonment**

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09/113,598	11/15/2000	George Mann	P-9380.00	3041

TITLE OF INVENTION: MINIMALLY INVASIVE METHOD FOR IMPLANTING A SACRAL STIMULATION LEAD

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